HB 1367 -- REGULATING THE DEPARTMENT OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

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This bill prohibits the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE) from accepting any funds from the federal government that include usage conditions without approval by a House or Senate Concurrent Resolution.

The bill prohibits DESE from submitting any plan to a federal agency or federal entity without gaining approval of the plan by the Senate and House Committees on Elementary and Secondary Education. To request approval, DESE must submit the plan to the specified committees one calendar month prior to the plan's submission to the federal agency or federal entity.

The bill also prohibits DESE from implementing any strategic plan or improvement effort without approval of the plan or effort by the Senate and House Committees on Elementary and Secondary Education.